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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Concurrence in Amendment No. 4 to Contract No. PR-8200 with  
The Perkin-Elmer Corporation, Project OXCART

1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for concurrence  
of the undersigned. Such recommendation is contained in Paragraph 6.

2. Contract No. PR-8200 with The Perkin-Elmer Corporation provides  
for engineering, design, production, test and delivery of six (6) Photo-  
graphic Reconnaissance Systems in connection with the OXCART Program. This  
Amendment No. 4 has been drawn to increase the estimated contract price  
from [redacted] by reason of additions to the contract scope  
and cost overruns; to incorporate the additional work scope into the  
contract; to allocate an additional [redacted] to the contract as a  
further installment on the total contract price; and to extend the term of  
the contract to 30 June 1963.

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3. A total sum of [redacted] has been obligated under Contract  
No. PR-8200 as follows:

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This Amendment No. 4 obligates an additional [redacted] chargeable to  
FY-1962 AF OXCART Funds. By concurrence to this memorandum the Comptroller  
signifies that sufficient funds are available for this additional obligation.  
Authorization for this contractual action is included in the contract  
projection for proposed Activity Program, OXC-3158, as reviewed and approved  
by Mr. Bissell on 1-6-62, 1962.

4. The services and equipment being procured by this Amendment No. 4  
are in furtherance of the OXCART Program, the nature of which cannot be  
publicly disclosed for security reasons. The undersigned Contracting  
Officer therefore determines that this procurement must be accomplished by  
negotiations pursuant to the authority of Section 3(a) of PL 81-110 and  
Class Determination and Finding, OXC-2122, signed by the DDCI on 25 October  
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5. Certification of funds for this contract will be handled under the procedure approved by the Director of Central Intelligence on 15 December 1956 which, in effect, results in all covert expenses involving issuance of Treasury Checks being accumulated in a separate account within the Finance Division. The amounts in this account will be periodically scheduled for certification of the vouchers by the Director. This procedure eliminates the necessity for a separate certification of authority under Section 8(b) of Public Law 110, 81st Congress (formerly 10(b) - see 85-507 dated 7/7/58) for each contract.

6. Concurrence in Amendment No. 4 to Contract No. PR-8200 is recommended.

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Contracting Officer, DPD

25X1A CONCURRENCES:

[Redacted]

*30 March 62*

DATE

Comptroller, DPD

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*29 March 62*

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JOHN PARANGOSKI //

Chief, Development Branch, DPD

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*30 March 62*

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Concurrence in Amendment No. 3 to Contract No. PR-8200 with  
The Perkin-Elmer Corporation, Project OXCART

1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for concurrence of the undersigned. Such recommendation is contained in Paragraph 5.

2. Contract No. PR-8200 with The Perkin-Elmer Corporation provides for engineering, design, production, test and delivery of six (6) Photographic Reconnaissance Systems in connection with the OXCART Program. This Amendment No. 3 has been drawn to allocate additional funds as an installment on the total contract price.

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This installment is in the amount of [redacted] and should provide for continuance of work through 15 March 1962. The total estimated contract price is [redacted] the total installment funding including this Amendment No. 3 is [redacted] leaving a balance due of [redacted]

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4. Certification of funds for this contract will be handled under the procedure approved by the Director of Central Intelligence on 15 December 1956 which, in effect, results in all covert expenses involving issuance of Treasury Checks being accumulated in a separate account within the Finance Division. The amounts in this account will be periodically scheduled for certification of the vouchers by the Director.

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This procedure eliminates the necessity for a separate certification of authority under Section 8(b) of Public Law 110 81st Congress, (formerly 10(b) - see 85-507 dtd 7/7/58) for each contract.

5. Concurrence in Amendment No. 3 to Contract No. PR-8200 is recommended.

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Contracting Officer, DPD

CONCURRENCES:  
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August 30, 1961  
DATE

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Comptroller, DPD

30 August 1961  
DATE

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JOHN PARANGOSKY  
Chief, Development Branch, DPD

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